

Dementtown Doings

Watch Depot Avenue Grow

A good story showing the ready wit of a Dementtown Irishman is going the rounds, and if true, shows that when you get a son of Erin into a corner where he can't find an answer for you, you are going some. In an effort to win a wager that this particular man could not readily find an answer to a question that was propounded to him suddenly, it was fixed up to entice him through a certain door one dark night and that as soon as he got in an accomplice was to kick him a good hard one and ask him where he was going. The wager was that Pat would not be able to answer the question.

Pat was easily enticed. He sure would go through the door. And he did. As he got through he received the arranged-for kick, and the question "Where are you going?" Quick as a flash he answered "Back."

Generosity.

In an effort to boost the hard

HOW THIS WOMAN FOUND HEALTH

Would not give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for All Rest of Medicine in the World.

Utica, Ohio.—"I suffered everything from a female weakness after baby came. I had numb spells and was dizzy, had black spots before my eyes, my back ached and I was so weak I could hardly stand up. My face was yellow, even my fingernails were colorless and I had displacement. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable

Compound and now I am stout, well and healthy. I can do all my own work and can walk to town and back and not get tired. I would not give your Vegetable Compound for all the rest of the medicines in the world. I tried doctor's medicines and they did me no good."—Mrs. MARY EARLWINE, R.F.D. No. 3, Utica, Ohio.

An Entertainer.

Mayor Frank Vaille is suffering from a sideache today as the result of a visit paid him yesterday by J. R. Richards, a coal salesman. Mr. Richards is some story teller and kept Mr. Vaille in very good humor for some time. Hence Frank's pain today.

ARE YOU GOING

TO CALIFORNIA?

I moved from Rockford, Illinois, to Los Angeles, California, one year ago. After several months of investigation I purchased a ranch in Orange County, thirty miles east of Los Angeles. This location enjoys the most wonderful climate in the world. Now is the time to get a few acres for small ranch property, and put to Orange-Lemons or English Walnuts. I have secured option on some of the best land and delightfully located, close to Orange-Anaheim and Santa Ana. If you want information of this the most rapidly advancing section, write me immediately at Orange, Calif., R. D. No. 2. I also have four splendid income orchard ranches. C. B. Berger. 73 3*

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One bottle of our Beef, Iron and Wine is as good as a month in the mountains. If it doesn't do you any good you can have your money back. Start taking it today. \$1.00, at Sternings' Pharmacy. 73 5

John P. McIntyre

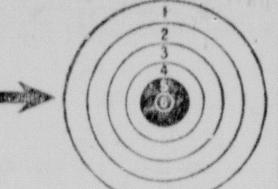
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Aim to make that strong—and digestion good—and you will keep well! No chain is stronger than its weakest link. No man is stronger than his stomach. With stomach disordered a train of diseases follow.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery

makes the stomach healthy, the liver active and the blood pure. Made from forest roots and extracted without the use of alcohol. Sold by druggists, in liquid form at \$1.50 per bottle for over 40 years, giving general satisfaction.

If you prefer tablets, no modified by Dr. V. V. Pierce, M.D., these can be had of medicine dealers or trial box by mail on receipt of 50c stamp.

"Onyx" Hosiery



The "Onyx" Brand will give better wear than any hosiery known. For Men, Women and Children, from 25c. to \$5.00 per pair, in any color or style you wish from Cotton to Silk. Be sure to look for the trade-mark shown above stamped on every pair. Sold by all good stores.

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HUERTA FEARS ARREST; FLEES TO HIS CASTLE

Report That Gen. Blanquet Is Ready to Cast Dictator Into Prison.

CONGRESS IN; U. S. DEFIED

President of Mexico Tells Staff and Friends That If Any Disaster Came He Would Be Only One to Suffer.

Mexico City, Nov. 18.—A coup d'etat appears imminent. The expectation is that General Huerta, provisional president, will be arrested by order of General Blanquet, who will have the support of the army chiefs in this move toward restoring peace in Mexico.

Significance is attached by the public to the fact that General Huerta has gone to the castle of Chapultepec. It is taken for granted that his move is to insure his greater personal safety. He had told his staff and personal friends that if any disaster came he would be the only one to suffer.

The report has been revived, however, that Huerta intends to resign after congress convenes in regular session Thursday. This was based on a declaration attributed to a member of the new chamber of deputies on Monday.

General Huerta proceeded with his efforts to organize the new congress regardless of the notice given to him by John Lind that serious consequences would follow such a step. Therefore an early breaking of relations between the United States and Mexico was regarded as inevitable.

Whether the United States embassy will be withdrawn appears to be a matter of which Nelson O'Shaughnessy American chargé d'affaires, is uncertain. The staff of the embassy is ready to leave the capital at a moment's notice.

Organization of congress was completed on Monday. Enough senators were gathered to form a quorum. Gen. Francisco Princes was chosen temporary chairman and a committee on credentials was appointed. A similar committee of the chamber of deputies began revising the deputies' credentials.

President Huerta talked at night to his staff and personal friends regarding the possibility of intervention by the United States. He intimated that he would be ready to resist such a step.

The opinion was expressed in various circles that the United States soon would inaugurate a blockade of Mexican ports.

Americans Flee Capital.

The exodus of foreigners, especially Americans, continued all day. The trains to Vera Cruz were jammed. Many American citizens reached the capital from small towns in the interior. Many declared the situation had reached its most acute stage.

A number of business concerns whose headquarters are abroad received cabled instructions to send the women and children of their employees out of the federal capital.

Admiral von Hintze, German minister, declared that he believed there was no reason for anxiety.

"A plan is being considered," he said, "by which armed intervention will most surely be avoided."

The German minister, however, convened the German merchants and informed them that an American blockade of Mexico's ports was coming in three days. He asked the names of the merchants, also an inventory of the goods they expected from abroad in the immediate future, saying this was for the purpose of getting the goods through the blockade if possible.

Reports Plan to Poison Huerta.

Vera Cruz, Nov. 18.—Manuel Garza Aldape, who recently resigned as Huerta's minister of the interior, sailed from Vera Cruz on the steamer Espana with his wife and children. Before the steamer left port Aldape told some of his followers that Minister Moheno planned to poison Huerta. Aldape was escorted to the quay by troops from the City of Mexico and was virtually under arrest, secret police following him to the steamer. He said, however, he was proceeding to Paris to take up the duties of Mexican minister to France.

You who are weak and run-down, and you who are apparently well now, but are liable to suffer from various cold weather ailments, use Rexall Olive Oil Emulsion to get and keep well and strong. For the tired-out, run-down, nervous, emaciated or debilitated—the convalescing—growing children—aged people—it is a sensible aid to renewed strength, better spirits, glowing health.

Rexall Olive Oil Emulsion—king of the celebrated Rexall Remedies—is for freedom from sickness of you and your family. Pleasant-tasting, containing no alcohol or dangerous drugs, you'll be as enthusiastic about it as we are when you have noted its strengthening, invigorating, building-up, disease-preventing effects. Sold in this community only at our store—The Rexall Store—one of the more than 7,000 leading drug stores in the United States, Canada and Great Britain—Campbell & Son, 105 First street, Dixon.

"If the Mexicans start any trouble we will protect our citizens, and not wait for Washington to act," said Governor Colquitt after a conference with Adjutant General Hutchings.

The Texas National Guard is ready to answer quickly any call that may be made.

Woman Killed by Auto.

Sterling, Ill., Nov. 18.—Mrs. David Miller of Fairhaven was killed near here when her automobile turned turtle.

MOTHER! MOTHER! YOUR CROSS, SICK CHILD NEEDS ONLY, "CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS"

Feeble, Feverish, Tongue Coated, Give "Fruit Laxative" at Once

ed food will gently move out of the bowels and you have a well, playful child again.

Sick children needn't be coaxed to take this harmless fruit laxative. Millions of mothers keep it handy, because they know its action on the stomach, liver and bowels is prompt and sure. They also know a little given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Look at the tongue, mother. If coated, it is a sure sign your "little one's" stomach, liver and bowels need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once. When cross, peevish, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, eat or act naturally; if breath is bad, stomach sour, system full of cold, throat sore, or if feverish, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in just a few hours all the clogged up, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested

Ask your druggist for a 50 cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which contains directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown ups, plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits here. Get the genuine made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

OAKRIDGE NOTES

Oak Ridge, Nov. 17—Mrs. J. Hamilton spent the week end in Dixon with her mother, Mrs. Rose Brooke.

Mrs. J. Young, Mrs. B. Brooke, and Miss Nina Bloomquist of the Ridge were among the guests invited with the Larks to the George Bymaster home Wednesday. The dinner was immense and all enjoyed themselves.

John Stanton of Chicago spent the week end at the home of John Young.

Miss Drain spent Sunday at Rockchelle.

Frank Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Mumma start for St. Charles Saturday to spend a month with Elmer Mumma and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bartholomew of Dixon visited at the John Young home Sunday.

Walter Mumma motored to Dixon Saturday.

Charlie Warner is building a new barn.

That yellow tag.

SICK PEOPLE



He is Honest With You.

Why You Should Come

Many have asked Dr. Piper, how is that he can cure chronic diseases that the general practitioner can do nothing with. The general answer is: Dr. Piper has devoted his life to the speciality of Chronic Diseases and devotes all of his time to his specialty. He does nothing but office work. Instead of having a large office, he has a number of offices, and his practice covers hundreds of miles. He acts as for the detail and baffling cases that have been seeking relief sometimes for years, many of which come to him for the first time. His advice is to come to him and let him cure you.

Many of you who have been taking medicine and so-called treatments for your disease have absolutely cured in a few weeks. Very chronic cases will require somewhat longer time, but it will take no time.

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Social Happenings

CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR COMING WEEK

Tuesday

Phidian Art Club — With Miss Bosworth.

Wednesday

Busy Bees, with Mrs. H. Gebhardt.

Friday

W. C. T. U., with Mrs. Horace Street.

Drove to Oregon

Ernest Felkins of Sterling and Miss Ethel Fuller of this city drove to Oregon Sunday and visited with the latter's grandparents.

Entertained at Sunday Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Etnyre of East Chamberlain street, entertained the following friends Sunday at dinner — Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. James Bishop, Mrs. Elizabeth Malarkey, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Malarkey, Mrs. Hiestand, and mother, Mrs. Gaffen, of Rock Falls, and Mrs. Murry and son George.

Will Visit in Texas

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Etnyre will leave about December first for Houston, Texas, to visit with Mrs. Etnyre's sister, Mrs. Ellen Teall, and also with Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Hall.

Subtle Woman

Even X-ray gowns don't disclose a woman's hidden intentions.

Spent Sunday in Dixon

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Luckey and children of Ashton were entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Casper Krug of Monroe avenue.

Woman's Club Met

The Dixon Woman's club was delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. Nancy Eastwood Saturday, with Mrs. Eastwood and Mrs. Caroline Wilson as hostesses.

Madam Kent sang in her usual charming manner, "I Hear You Call Me," and "Kashmir Song." The usual routine of business was transacted and new members were taken into the club.

Prof. L. W. Miller was then introduced and spoke on, "Woman's Call to Higher Citizenship." This talk was so full of good helpful hints, and so fine in every way that we do not feel like quoting anything from it. One should hear it as a whole to thoroughly appreciate it.

Mrs. Allie Read, whom the club is always glad to have with them — then sang — "Who Knows," by Paul Lawrence Dunbar, and as an encore, "Fishing," by Carrie Jacobs Bond. At the close the hostess served dainty refreshments.

It was the largest meeting of the year and the ladies were more than pleased with the program.

Engraved Cards

Engraved calling cards make a suitable Christmas gift. Call No. 5, for prices.

Club Rates

The Evening Telegraph and any of the popular magazines in club rates. Call this office for information.

Musicale Saturday

A very fine musicale was given Saturday afternoon at the home of Miss Mary Beede by her pupils.

Those taking part were — Mildred Page, Josephine Smith, Frances Busby, Irene Le Fevre, Howard Rutt, Genevieve Prescott, Bertha Rutt, Lola Seavey, Joy Devitt, Alice Rutt, Ruth Leake, Alice Lehman, Frances Ackert, Edna Powers.

One notable feature was that all the pupils with but few exceptions played by memory.

Miss Alice Rutt favored with a pretty violin solo, and a very fine reading was given by La Ferne Richardson, who possesses more than ordinary ability as a little reader.

The house was beautifully decorated in chrysanthemums and oak leaves and ferns.

The musicale was well attended by patrons of the class.

Delicious refreshments added to the pleasure of the happy occasion.

Each pupil deserves praise for the splendid work accomplished, as well as the teacher, Miss Beede, who may well be proud of her thriving class of music pupils.

Frances Ackert and La Ferne Richardson assisted in receiving.

Prairieville Social Circle

The Ladies Social Circle of Prair-

ieville will meet Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Fred Brauer. It will be an afternoon meeting. Sewing will be the order of the day. All members are urged to be present.

Bridge Party.

Mrs. Theo. Fuller entertained this afternoon with bridge.

W. C. T. U. To Meet

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Horace Street Friday afternoon.

Invitations Issued

Friends in this city have received invitations to the wedding of Miss Lucile Johnson and Earl Bristle, which will be celebrated Friday, Nov. 26th at the home of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Peterson, in Morrison. Both parties are well known in this city where they have many friends.

Visiting Mother.

J. E. Close, a former Dixon boy, who has been visiting his mother, Mrs. J. E. Close, left last evening for his home in Ketchikan, Alaska, where he is now engaged in business.

Seyster-Himes Nuptials

Last evening at 5 o'clock at the parsonage to St. Paul's Lutheran church, the marriage of Miss Mae E. Seyster of Pine Creek township Ogle county, and Martin L. Himes of Oregon, Ill., was solemnized, Rev. F. D. Altman performing the marriage ceremony.

The bride was simply yet appropriately gowned in a traveling costume, as they left for a short wedding journey afterward.

The couple were attended by Mrs. Henry Seyster, mother of the bride.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Himes of Oregon and is a young man with a large circle of friends, who wish the young people every happiness.

The bride who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Seyster is a young woman whose many lovable attributes of character have won her many friends who unite in wishing them every happiness.

K. B. Aid.

The K. B. Aid society will meet at the home of Mrs. Ella Brierton on Wednesday, Nov. 19. Members and friends are cordially invited to attend. The hostess and Mrs. Ida Rosbrook will provide the work for the day.

At Franks Home.

Mrs. C. J. Robinson and daughter, Miss Anna, of Sheridan, Wyo., and Mrs. Charles Smith of Springfield, Neb., are visiting with the former's brother, Henry Franks, of North Ottawa avenue.

Jolly Busy Bees.

The Jolly Busy Bees will meet tomorrow afternoon with Mrs. Henry Gebhardt of 1123 East Fellows street, and will entertain their husbands with 7 o'clock dinner.

Dance Thursday.

The Knights of Columbus will give a dance in their hall Thursday evening, Nov. 25. Good music and an enjoyable time is promised. Everybody is cordially invited.

Class Gives Program.

Miss Ruth McCannahan entertained a number of her pupils and their mothers at the home of her brother on First street Saturday afternoon, the following program being given by the pupils:

Danish Dance Dressler
The Jester Schuler
Valse Caprice Rathbun
March of the Sages Presser
Drummer Boys' March Bechtel

Vocal Solo Selected
Piano Duet Morrison
Little Gems Cadmus
Piano Trio Englefan

Cecilia Philie
Hungarian Dream Faber
Flower Fairies Fearis
The Maiden's Blush Gottschalk

Sweethearts True Ryder
Mazurka Brillante Heins

Echoes of the Forest Walter
Silvery Waves, Duet Wyman

Nocturne Wyman

In the Merry Month of May Merkel

Vocal Duet Selected

Those who took part in the enjoy-

able program were Helen and Irene Young, Josephine Rhodes, Ann Fielding, Hazel Stanbrough, Bessie Missman, Ada Bolton, Grace Adams, Elwyn Glessner, Laurence Mossholder, Mary Hoyle, Agnes O'Malley, Edna Hanne, Cecile McCannahan and Ruth and Forest Mossholder.

After the program refreshments were served by Mrs. Emma Machael, Mrs. John Keller and Mrs. Alice Schuck.

Appointments Secure Prompt At

tention. Phone 160

Union Missionary Meeting

A missionary meeting of the various churches of the city was held at the Methodist church Monday afternoon, Mrs. F. D. Altman presiding.

There was a good attendance, the lecture room of the church being well filled.

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City In Brief

DIXON AUTOISTS
IN' ASHTON MISHAP

Otto Witzleb was in Ashton today

on business.

David Marks of Chicago is home
for a short visit with his father,
Phil N. Marks.Deputy Sheriff Frank Schoenhoit
of Scarborough was a Dixon visitor on
Monday.Supervisor John H. Groves of Willow
Creek township was a visitor in
Dixon Monday.

FOREST NOTES.

There is a flourishing forest school
in the Philippines, and 28 men were
graduated with the class of 1913.The so-called Scotch pine is the
principal tree in the Prussian forests.
Its wood is much like that of the yellow
pine of this country.In general it may be stated that
the most dangerous forest fire periods
in the west are in the middle
and late summer; in the east they
are in the fall and spring.Because of the importance of for-
estry at the annual conservation con-
gress in Washington Nov. 18 to 20,
an extra day is added to the ses-
sions, Nov. 17.It has been suggested that guaya-
can, a very hard wood of Central
America, may furnish shuttle blocks
to supplement dogwood and persimmon,
now most used, and in dan-
ger of extinction.Under forest regulations in Co-
lombia rubber gatherers are required
to give the trees a rest period in
tapping them for gum. The size,
number and location of the inci-
sions are regulated by law. In the
United States similar regulations are
in force in the tapping of pines for
turpentine on the Florida national
forest.GOOD NEWS FOR THE
GIRL WITH UGLY HAIRDon't mourn over it! Don't envy
others because they have beautiful
hair. Begin right now to give proper,
intelligent care and attention
to your hair—and then let others
envy you. Use Harmony Hair
Beautifier, a delightful liquid hair
dressing, that is just what it is named—
a hair beautifier.To make the hair glossy, soft and
silky—to make it easier to put up in
smooth, wavy folds, and "stay
put"—to restore to your hair the
well-groomed appearance you want
to have—to overcome the unpleas-
ant, oily odor of the hair and leave
instead a delightfully dainty, fresh
rose fragrance—Harmony Hair
Beautifier will please you, or your
money back. Very easy to apply—
simply sprinkle a little on your
hair each time before brushing it.
Contains no oil; will not change the
color of the hair, nor darken gray
hair.To keep hair and scalp dandruff-
free and clean, use Harmony Shampoo.
This pure liquid shampoo gives a rich lather that immediately
penetrates to every part of hair and
scalp, insuring a quick thorough
cleaning. Washed off as quickly,
the entire operation takes only a few
moments. Can't harm the hair;
leaves no harshness or stickiness—
just a sweet cleanliness.Both preparations come in odd-
shaped, very ornamental bottles,
with sprayer tops. Harmony Hair
Beautifier, \$1.00. Harmony Shampoo,
50c. Both guaranteed to sat-
isfy you in every way, or your
money back. Sold in this community
only at our store—the Rexall Store—one of the more than 7,000 leading
drug stores of the United States,
Canada and Great Britain, which
own the big Harmony laboratories
in Boston, where the many celebrated
Harmony Perfumes and Toilet
Preparations are made—Campbell
& Son, 105 First St., Dixon.

THROWN FROM AUTO.

Harvey Miller suffered a severely
sprained wrist in a minor auto acci-
dental near Ashton Sunday night while
driving along the main road. In
some manner he lost control of the
car and the machine went into the
ditch, and Mr. Miller was thrown in
such a manner as to sprain his wrist.
The injury will keep him from work
for some time.

CLAIMS RECORD.

Charles Dickey of this city claims
the championship of corn pickers of
this vicinity on a record made last
week when in six days he picked 664
bushels and shoveled it all off the
wagons.THE MACHINE TURNED TURTLE
TWICE SUNDAY MORNING
—OTHER NEWS.Ashton, Nov. 17—The Sunday
morning quiet of our people was
shattered by an autoload of joy-
riders from Dixon. Although it was
a bright moonlight night and a fa-
miliar road, the driver imagined he
had another block east to go when
he came to the end of the street
near Jeter's elevator, so drove on
and the machine turned turtle twice.A flagman from a freight train saw
the accident and rushed to Vanes' barbershop calling for aid, thinking
all the occupants might be dead. A
doctor, druggist and garage man
were called. When the machine was
righted one man was thought to be
dead and was put on a stretcher to be
taken to the undertaking room.
On the way there he revived and
was taken to the lockup instead. The
machine was injured but not to the
extent that it could not be used and
the remainder of the party left in
the machine, after it was started for
them.Thirty-five Odd Fellows surprised
Wm. Hart at his home Friday even-
ing when they marched in to spend
the evening. A pleasant time was en-
joyed.Mrs. Brown Garrett of Thermopolis,
Wyo., came last week to spend
the winter with her mother, Mrs.
Margaret Beach.Mrs. Abbie Brewer and Miss Morris
were visitors in Franklin Friday.County Superintendent L. W. Miller
was here today and visited our
new school building.Nathan Sanders moved into the
house Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Nickey vacated
last week.Miss Emma C. Krug visited in Dix
on Friday.Miss Emma Billmire and Mrs.
Geo. Stephan will entertain the Phil-
atheas Friday evening at the home
of the former.Mrs. Geo. Meister was in Rochelle
Friday.August Osterheld came near hav-
ing a serious accident yesterday, as
he was pouring kerosene on the fire.
The fluid caught fire and set his
clothing on fire. He had presence of
mind to lie down on the floor and
roll himself in a rug, extinguishing
the flames. Curtains caught fire and
also a lounge, but the fire was put
out.The sale of the Eri Bates home
to have taken place Saturday, was
postponed a week.Wednesday is the 50th anniversary
of Lincoln's Gettysburg speech.
A. W. Rosecrans will deliver an ad-
dress at the M. E. church on that
day.Miss Joe Reed of Chana spent the
week end with her mother.Mr. Munday of Chicago was here
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limb.Miss Mary Roat of Chicago spent
the week end with her sisters, Mrs.
A. J. Orner.Everyone is pleased to know that
Vernon Shippee is able to be out
again.

CHRONIC DISEASES.

Dr. Prettyman treats chronic and
nervous diseases only. All his study
hospital work and practice are in
that line and he should be well qual-
ified.His examination is free to the
sick and, after careful examination,
if he has any doubt about the results
he so expresses it. It is this consci-
entious way of doing his work that
has maintained his practice in Dixon
over nineteen years.He will be at the Nachusa Hotel
Monday, Nov. 24th.

CARTWRIGHT A FAVORITE.

Petitions asking Supreme Court
Justice Jas. H. Cartwright of Oregon
to again become a candidate for his
position on the supreme bench, and
pledging him support, have been cir-
culated in Lee county and were
signed by 33 of the 39 attorneys of
the Lee County Bar association.LEWIS' EX-EMPLOYEE
MENACES WILSONPresident Gets Missive Signed by
S. Maulthrop—Warns Him
of "Exposure."

WARRANT FOR THE WRITER

Writer of Missive Signed S. Moul-
throp's Name, Who Is Said to
Have Flitched Letter Writ-
ten to Pindell.Washington, Nov. 18—The nomina-
tion of Henry M. Pindell of Peoria as
ambassador to Russia was not sent to
the senate, and despite persistent rum-
or that his nomination has been
indefinitely postponed, Secretary of
State Bryan denied there had been any
change in the plan of appointing the
Peoria editor.A member of the foreign relations
committee is authority for the "un-
derstanding," as he puts it, that Russia
has entered a protest to the ap-
pointment because of the official ad-
mission that Mr. Pindell was to be ap-
pointed under a practical agreement
that he would not be expected to serve
a full term.

WRITES WILSON THREAT.

The alleged forged letter end of the
mimbroglio developed another sensation.
President Wilson, as well as Senator
Lewis, received a letter signed by
Sydney Moulthrop, the stenographer
discharged by Senator Lewis and sus-
pected of having furnished the copy
for the published correspondence,
threatening wholesale political ex-
posures through other letters unless
the president called off Senator Lewis
from his threatened prosecution of the
writer.The letter received at the White
House declared that the writer had
correspondence between the president
and Senator Lewis which he would
publish unless he was "let alone."The letter to Senator Lewis referred
to letters that had passed between
the senator and Secretary Bryan and
Secretary McAdoo and to correspond-
ence with Roger Sullivan and William
O'Connell which would "ruin them
all."Senator Lewis said Moulthrop's let-
ter would be put in the hands of post
office inspectors, the threats contained
in them being in alleged violation of
the postal laws. The letters were post-
marked at different stations in New
Jersey, but are believed to have been
written in New York city.

EXPLORER IS LOST?

Believed That Stefansson and
Party Perished.Whalers Assert Vessel Encountered
Severe Weather Off Alaska Coast
—No Word Received.Seattle, Wash., Nov. 18.—Vilhjalmur
Stefansson, arctic explorer and dis-
coverer of the white Eskimos, who
was aboard the steamship Kartuk when
that vessel was last sighted is lost, as
is the vessel and all others on
board. Nothing has been seen or
heard of the vessel since that date,
despite the fact that extensive search
has been made for it. Whalers say
there is little hope of its ever being
discovered, as the steamer is known
to have encountered the heavy weather
which prevailed off the Alaskan coast
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F. P. GLASS NEW SENATOR

Editor Appointed to Succeed Late
J. F. Johnston.Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 18.—Hon.
Frank P. Glass, editor of the Birming-
ham News and president of the Mont-
gomery Advertiser, was appointed Uni-
ted States senator by Governor O'Neal
to succeed the late Senator Joseph F.
Johnston. The term expires March 3, 1915.

BABY KILLED; EIGHT HURT IN WRECK.

Fort Smith, Ark., Nov. 18.—The
month-old child of Mrs. R. L. Baker of
Dardanelle, Ark., was killed and Mrs.
Baker, her seven-year-old son and six
other passengers were injured seriously
in a wreck on the Rock Island rail-
way. A train went through a small
bridge near Centerville.Dr. Timothy Dwight 85 Years Old.
New Haven, Conn., Nov. 18.—Dr.
Timothy Dwight, former president of
Yale university, passed his eighty-fifth
birthday still in possession of good
health.

ANNUAL AUTUMN BARGAIN OFFERING

BEGINS NOV. 15TH AND ENDS NOV. 30TH

For full particulars of this sale, do not fail to get one of our large
bills, in which we aim to describe every article without the slightest
exaggeration. Your visit to our store will be appreciated and
your money will buy the best merchandise obtainable. The following
are a few of the many bargains offered:

36-inch plain black Messiline Silks, \$1 quality, yard	85c
18-inch Stevens P. brown Crash, 12 l-2c value, yard	10c
81x90 bleached Sheets, torn, not cut, 69c value	59c
Ladies' Kid Gloves, slightly soiled, \$1 and \$1.50 values	69c
1 lot of Ladies' and Misses Fur Scarfs and Collars, \$3.50 to \$7 values, your choice	\$1
1 lot of Ladies' and Children's Coats	\$1
1 lot of Ladies' Suits	\$5
1 lot of Ladies' Coats, \$10 and \$12.50 values	\$3.98
Outing Flannels, light and dark colorings, special, yard	7 1-2c
Ingrain Art Squares, 6x9 \$2.98, 9x9	\$3.98
Matting it good assortment of colors, yard	10c

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ASSAILED MINE OWNERS

SPEAKERS AT LABOR MEET AT
TACK COPPER OPERATORS.Resolution Passed at Seattle Conven-
tion Asks Congress to Probe
Companies.Seattle, Wash., Nov. 18.—Fiery
speeches were made in the American
Federation of Labor convention, at-
tacking the Michigan copper mine
owners whose employees are on strike.Resolutions demanding a congress-
ional investigation and calling for
contributions for the support of the
strikers were adopted and President
Samuel Gompers said the convention
indoubtedly would adopt a resolution,
if it were presented, demanding in-
vestigation of the charge that the
Calumet & Hecla company obtained
title to its copper land by fraud.By this means, said Gompers, the
workers might obtain an adjustment
and perhaps visit retribution on the
company.Joseph D. Cannon of the Western
Federation of Miners described the
conditions under which the workers
revolted, and declared documentary
evidence was available to prove that
the Calumet & Hecla company ob-
tained free from the United States
government in 1852 valuable mineral
land as a grant in aid of a canal, the
land never being used for canal pur-
poses, but for the copper it contained.John H. Walker, president of the
Illinois Mine Workers, who has spent
months in the Calumet region, said it
would be impossible to exaggerate
conditions there, "which would dis-
grace the most barbarous country in
the world." Mr. Walker said the
miners worked naked in the 8,000-
foot levels without ventilation, breath-
ing again the air of their own lungs
mixed with the poisonous fumes of
the copper.President Gompers said the exec-
utive council was doing its utmost to
aid the copper strikers.

DECREE FOR MRS. DROUILLARD

Referee Recommends Absolute Di-
vorce Be Given Wife of Retired
Army Officer.New York, Nov. 18.—Phenix Ingra-
ham, as referee, submitted his report
to Supreme Court Justice Giegerich,
recommending a decree of absolute di-
vorce for Mrs. Ada S

DIXON OPERA HOUSE
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All new this year

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PRICE, 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.50 : Seat Sale Now

WEST BROOKLYN NEWS

The firemen welcome you to their annual ball in the opera house the night of November 26th.

Frank Biers was in town on business Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hahn drove to Mendota Thursday morning to spend the day with friends.

Andrew Huibsch was in town from South Brooklyn Friday morning.

Dr. E. C. White returned home on Wednesday evening from a two days stay in Chicago.

It is with regret that we learn of the serious illness of George Halsey at Lee Center. The venerable gentleman is in bad shape and the doctors are fearful for his recovery.

Joseph Bulfer of Sublette was a visitor in West Brooklyn Friday.

Joseph J. Barr transacted business in this city Friday.

James Buckley of Maytown called on friends here Friday.

F. W. Meyer returned home on Wednesday evening from Chicago, where he spent two days buying goods for the store.

Mrs. D. B. Hodgson called on her friends in West Brooklyn Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Christiane, Marie Gander, Henry W. Gehant, C. F. Guffin, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Derr, and Miss Zeta Meyer attended the show at Compton Thursday evening.

The local court of Foresters held their regular monthly meeting in the club room Thursday night. On account of the busy corn husking season the attendance fell short of the usual figure but nevertheless, a good meeting was held. More applications for membership were received by the court and they expect to hold an initiation some time in the near future.

Arthur Burley was over from Compton Friday morning.

Mrs. Adolph Chaon and son Leo were visitors here Wednesday.

George Swope was in Maytown on business matters Thursday.

We have been in the insurance business in West Brooklyn for the past twenty years and have paid every loss sustained by our customers during that time. That means something for you. That the companies represented by this agency are not the kind to avoid the payment of the losses when they occur. Therefore, for the good, sound insurance remember the old stand-by, Henry F. Gehant.

Charles Mackin was in town on business Thursday forenoon.

Michael Barr and wife were down from their home near Compton on Thursday, visiting relatives and friends. Mrs. Barr's mother, venerable Grandma Huibsch, is making her home with them this winter.

Fred Santelman of Viola transacted business here Thursday.

Anyone wanting choice Plymouth rock cockerels should call at the home of George J. Montavon, R 2, West Brooklyn, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Izedore Gehant motored to Dixon Thursday where they spent the day with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Mireley visited their daughter, Mrs. Cora Biggart, in our city Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Lydia Berscheid went out to the country Thursday to visit her mother and other relatives and friends.

George Halboth was here on business Wednesday afternoon.

After filling in the excavation work at the junction of the city water mains and the Farmers Elevator well, Manager Long exercised him-

it considerably with the folks about town, but during the past few months his health had become such that he could but seldom leave the home of his daughter. We know no better way to honor the aged gentleman than by translating his autobiography (written by himself in later years,) and which we have secured through the kindness of his relatives and translated through the courtesy of Martin Gruss. Mr. Gruss reads his writing as follows:

From Oberhübersheim, Hessen Darmstadt. Born May 18, 1827. Started to school at the age of six years. Was confirmed when fourteen years old. At 20 I became a soldier in the army (in 1848) and the following year engaged in a very hard war against Freiheitler, a neighboring state. In 1855 I left the army and married Katherine Miller. We had four children, two boys and two girls. One boy and one girl died while young. In 1864 we came to America with our two children and landed at Mendota. From there went to DeKalb county near Maple Park, and remained for seven years. In 1871 bought land in Lee county and moved near Brooklyn. That September (1871) my boy died at the age of 20 years, had he lived till October. In December 1888 we moved to Mendota. In 1890 a cyclone swept away every building on the farm. In 1895 my wife died. In January 1896 married a second time to Margaret Truckenbrod. In August 1907 she died and then I moved to West Brooklyn and made my home with my daughter.

The funeral was held in West Brooklyn from the M. E. church on Saturday afternoon. Burial was at the Union Grove cemetery. A very large crowd of relatives and friends were present to pay their last respects to a beloved neighbor and kind friend.

We extend our sincere sympathy to the sorrowing relatives and friends at this sad time.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to all those who assisted us during the last illness of our father and relative and to express to you our appreciation for your kindness.

Mrs. Catherine Fassig and Children.

Children.

Our clubbing rates are proving very attractive to those who wish to secure a Chicago daily at a very reasonable rate. We have the Chicago Record Herald, The Chicago Daily Tribune and the Chicago Daily Journal.

Arthur Ziebarth was here from Viola township Saturday afternoon. The Edward Henry family motored to Peru one day this week and were guests of relatives and friends.

William Zinke was in town on business Friday afternoon.

J. G. Conschack motored to Sublette and Mendota on business matters Saturday morning.

C. C. Weber was here on business Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Knauer and Mrs. M. E. Long motored to Amboy on Friday evening to attend the show.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Zinke and Mr. and Mrs. John N. Zinke visited here Saturday.

Mrs. Lydia Knauer went to Rockford Friday for a few days visit with her sister and other relatives and friends.

Louis Gehant was here on business Friday morning.

It's an annual enjoyment for all lovers of dancing: The Firemen's Thanksgiving ball in the opera house, the night of Nov. 26th.

Theodore Miller & Son of Dixon, delivered a new piano to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Izedore Gehant of our city, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Florschuetz of Welland were visitors in West Brooklyn Wednesday.

M. J. Bieschke returned home Wednesday evening from Chicago after a two days stay, buying merchandise for the store.

J. F. Bernardin has been helping E. E. Vincent with his corn shelling jobs this week.

Mrs. Burns of Harmon visited her daughter and other relatives and friends in our city Friday.

George M. Capes of Pontiac is out to the farm looking after his work in connection with the corn husking this winter.

D. A. Howard and wife expect to leave soon for the south to spend the winter.

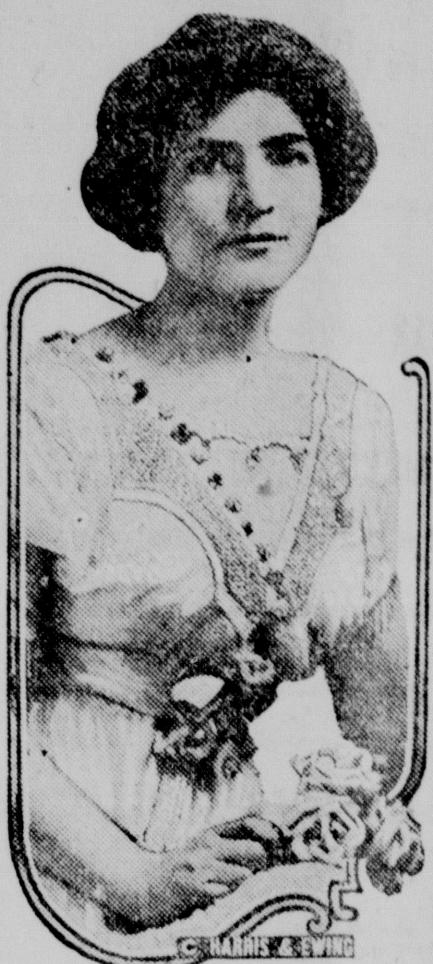
Mrs. Kalebaugh visited her son Clarence Sunday.

Our agent, Mr. Holloway got a new auto and of course every lady gets a ride. They all think it great fun.

The funeral of Mrs. Will Welch will be held at the home, this afternoon at 1:30.

Mrs. H. Buzzard of Dixon visited her folks Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Howard.

MISS CLARA C. LA FOLLETTE



AMBOY NEWS NOTES

Amboy, Nov. 17.—The Blind Boone concert was well attended.

A social was held at the Baptist church Friday evening by the B. Y. P. U. Games, music and refreshments made up the program. About 40 attended.

Miss Glendora Saginaw, who spent Sunday at home, returned to Sterling in the evening.

Ed Barnes was out from Chicago Sunday.

Miss Anna Wood went to Dixon on Sunday evening.

Rev. Riney left for Chicago Monday evening.

Miss Anna Bryant was in Dixon Sunday evening.

Plans are being made to organize a new dance class.

O. Ostrander motored to Dixon on Sunday.

Charles Hatch of Sublette was in town Monday.

P. M. James has received a letter from the dean of the engineering department of the U. of I. informing him that his son Edward, a junior there, has been placed on the list of those receiving preliminary honors for work done in the freshman and sophomore years. This information is pleasing to Edwards's parents and friends and speaks well of his efficiency.

Services were held at the German Lutheran church Sunday morning, the sermon being preached in German.

Mrs. R. L. Jenkins will entertain the Women's club of Amboy Monday afternoon.

A club has been formed among the young men and dancing parties will be given during the winter, at the opera house.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Fenstermaker have returned to LaCrosse after a visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Price of Franklin were visitors at the W. Fenstermaker home north of Amboy recently.

The Place to Buy Pianos



There are many people in Dixon and vicinity who would like to buy pianos at our store, but have an idea that we handle only high priced instruments. That is a mistaken idea. It is true that we sell quality goods, but it is not true we sell only high priced goods.

For instance, at this store you can buy a thoroughly reliable, guaranteed, new piano for \$185. A piano that is rightly and honestly built, and one that we gladly stand back of. Call and see this piano and you will say that it is a remarkable value for the money.

Easy Terms

Pianos for Rent

Theo. J. Miller & Sons

the funeral of Mrs. Boyle on Sunday.

LINCOLN HIGHWAY

MEET AT STERLING

Paul and Blanche Mills of Byron and John and Blanche Canfield of Chana spent Sunday at Mrs. J. B. Cleaver's.

Mr. and Mrs. John Buck, Mr. and Mrs. John Lahman and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lahman of Franklin spent Monday with Oliver Edmonds, who their support.

Merle Fissell has the mumps.

The Ladies' Aid society will meet with Mrs. R. N. Johnson Thursday, Nov. 20. It is urged that the entertainment committee be present to plan for the bazaar which will be held in December.

The Epworth League will have an oyster supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Canfield Friday evening, Nov. 28.

Try a Double Hot Chocolate at Sterlings' Pharmacy.

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SPECIAL SALE
AND DISPLAY

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 19

On the above named date we will have with us a special representative of one of the largest Fur Manufacturers, who will have with him a large assortment of the newest and best in Furs, Coats, Scarfs and Muffs.

Selections can be made from the assortment and delivered at once.

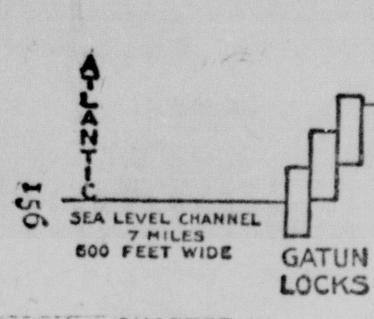
NOTE: Estimates given on alterations and repairs

O. H. Martin & Co.

The Americans In Panama

Story of the Panama Canal From Start to Finish

By WILLIAM R. SCOTT



PROFILE MAP OF THE PANAMA CANAL

CHAPTER III.

The Spanish In Panama.

ON the fourth attempt Columbus made to find a passage to the East Indies he cruised along the isthmian coast from September, 1502, to January, 1503, entering and naming the harbor of Porto Bello on Nov. 2, 1502, and visiting Nombre de Dios on Nov. 9, in what is now the republic of Panama.

Columbus, however, was not the discoverer of Panama, as a Spaniard, named Rodrigo de Bastidas, had preceded him to this coast, in 1501, so that the period of the Spanish in Panama dates from that year. Bastidas visited Nombre de Dios, where eight years later the first Spanish settlement on the isthmus was planted, in 1503, as a base for the search for gold.

Waseo Nunez de Balboa had been with Bastidas on his trip of exploration, and he became the head of the new colony at Panama. For a few years the mountains with their dense jungle growth stood as a barrier to explorations farther inland, but the stories of the marvelous wealth of the inhabitants on the other side, told to Balboa by the Indians, so excited his cupidity that, in 1513, he gathered a band of 100 men and started across.

Balboa discovered the Pacific on Sept. 25, 1513. Calling his men to him, they had a religious ceremony, claiming all they surveyed as the dominions of his majesty the king of Spain.

Gold he found in abundance and pearls of fabulous size and value. After five months' absence he returned to Nombre de Dios by a more direct course and found that he had been succeeded as governor at Nombre de Dios by a soldier named Pedrarias. Between them a hatred sprang up which, in 1517, resulted in the untimely and unjust execution of Balboa on trumped up charges. Prior to this, Balboa had made other trips to the Pacific, carrying across with incredible labor the parts of ships which were rebuilt in the Pacific. In 1511 the Americans found a canon of immense weight about halfway across, which evidently had been abandoned by Balboa, and an anchor of great size also has been found.

Pedrarias in 1515 had sent exploring parties to the Pacific side to select a site for a settlement on that coast. The San Francisco exposition therefore in 1515 will be exactly 400 years after this event. It was not until 1519 that the settlement was started, and the founding of the city of Panama dates historically from that year.

With the founding of a town on the Pacific side began the Isthmian traffic which ever since has emphasized the need of easier and swifter communication between the Atlantic and Pacific. At a huge expense of labor and life a paved road was constructed from Nombre de Dios to Panama, portions of which may be seen in the canal zone today.

It may be noted that Panama was founded a full hundred years before the landing of the pilgrims at Plymouth. Nombre de Dios was a town ninety-eight years before the first English settlement in North America, at Jamestown, in 1607. St. Augustine, Fla., the oldest town in North America, was not founded until forty-six years after Panama.

After nearly a century at Nombre de Dios the Spanish in the year 1584 found Porto Bello a healthier site for a settlement and moved bag and baggage to that incomparable port.

Porto Bello at once became the depot of Spanish treasure accumulated from Peru or other South and Central American countries and brought across the Isthmus from Panama with incredible hardship. From this port the Spanish galleons to Spain, Drake had been one of the most intrepid of this crew. Henry Morgan, a century later, was another.

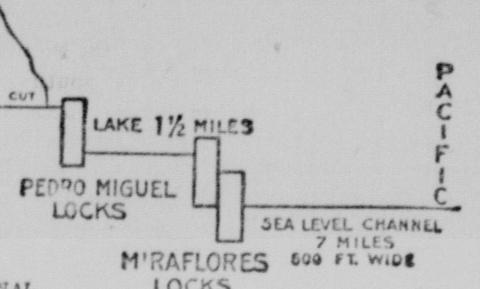
In 1668 Henry Morgan collected a motley crew of sea vagabonds with the object of capturing Porto Bello. The operations of the English buccaneers usually were plain piracy, but they justified themselves in their own minds by the quarrelsome state of the relations that existed between England and Spain.

Porto Bello was captured after a fight not surpassed in history for inhumanities. The treasure they found here whetted their lust for gold, with the result that three years later a still bolder enterprise, that of traversing the isthmus and taking Panama, was planned. In 1671 Morgan started up the Chagres river with 1,600 men, and after abandoning that stream, they struck out overland to Panama. Nine days were consumed in the journey, with hardships from hunger and the labor of penetrating the jungle the like of which have not been exceeded.

Colombia turned to the French after

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negotiating fruitlessly with the United States over a canal concession, and the company headed by M. de Lesseps was granted a right of way. It bought the road for \$18,094,000 in 1881, paying considerably more than it was worth, or \$250 a share for sixty-eight seventieths of the capital stock.

The French neglected the commercial possibilities even more than the American owners had, though dividends were earned during the life of the first company. When the United States bought the interests of the French company in 1904 the Panama railroad was one of the properties transferred. It was sadly run down, but under the Americans it was made over into a modernly equipped and operated system, though subordinated to a commercial proposition to the construction of the canal.

Passenger rates dropped from \$25 a one way ticket in 1885 to \$2.40 under the Americans today. The trip from Colon to Panama is two hours and a half, and the coaches are painted yellow because that color best stands the isthmian climate.

The plans for the canal as adopted by the Americans in 1906 played havoc with the right of way of the railroad, so in June, 1907, the work of relocating it back among the hills out of reach of Gatun lake was begun. After five years' work, or as long as it required to build the original line in 1850-55, the new line was opened to traffic in 1912.

This twentieth century Panama railroad has cost \$9,000,000, as compared with the cost of the nineteenth century road, \$7,000,000, an increase of \$2,000,000 after a lapse of sixty years.

The dream of a pan-American railroad has been entertained ever since steam locomotion came into use. When several gaps are filled in there will be railroad communication through Mexico, Guatemala and Nicaragua to Costa Rica, which adjoins Panama. The republic of Panama has been planning an interior railroad system that would be part of an all rail route from the United States to the canal. Before many years it is likely that a bridge will span the canal in a railroad system that reaches from Canada through Panama to the mainland of South America, thence down the west coast to Valparaiso.

This concession was for a period of forty-nine years after the completion of the railroad, but Colombia reserved the right, twenty years after its completion, to purchase the road for \$5,000,000.

Luckily for the American promoters the discovery of gold in California in 1849 came just as they were seeking to float their company. The isthmian route to California at once became heavily traveled, and the eyes of the whole world, particularly of the United States, were again fastened upon Panama.

The addition of the territories of Oregon and California to the United States still further emphasized the need of quick communication between the Atlantic and Pacific. The Panama railroad, therefore, took hold upon the popular imagination.

Aspinwall and his associates pushed the construction of the road under James L. Baldwin, an American civil engineer of uncommon ability. Labor of a desirable kind was not obtainable. Many nationalities were tried, with a tragic failure on the part of the Chinese, who seemed unable to face the terrors of the jungle. The life cost of our men was high.

The Panama railroad in the five years it was building has been estimated at 6,000 persons.

The route selected started at an island near the coast on the Atlantic side, the site of the city of Colon, crossed the hills into the valley of the Chagres river and followed that valley to the continental divide, over which it passed with a maximum elevation of 263 feet above sea level, and thence down to Panama on the Pacific side.

Treacherous swamps, almost impenetrable jungles and formidable streams and mountains necessitated incredibly hard labor and continuous work from 1850 to Jan. 28, 1855, when the first train reached Panama from Colon. The line was forty-seven miles long, built of Belgian rails and on a gauge of five feet.

The standard gauge in the United States is four feet eight and a half inches, so that all locomotives and cars used on the Panama railroad have to be specially built with wheels set farther apart.

The total cost had been \$7,407,553, or about \$158,000 a mile. Dividends were paid every year from 1853 to 1892 and from 1901 to 1903, when it became United States property.

The great prosperity of the railroad suffered a serious setback with the completion of the California overland railroad in 1869. Thenceforward the valuable bullion shipments avoided Panama, as well as passengers and freight business. The business shows a steady decline from that year.

Colombia turned to the French after

all the theatrical methods conceivable were employed to float a new bond issue for \$160,000,000, but the public had grown dubious over the success of the enterprise. The amount was raised, however, and was poured into the project with more millions until 1889, when, after \$234,795,917 had been invested, the company became bankrupt.

The French treated their white employees with extravagant generosity. Living accommodations were on a

scale of open handed liberality. Little was done beyond building hospitals to conquer the bad health conditions of the isthmus, and, while the French left patterns for much of the later American activities, the sanitary control of the jungle distinctively is an American triumph. The death rate among French employees on the canal was from two to three times as high as under the Americans.

In 1890 an extension of ten years to the time for completing the canal was granted by Colombia, and subsequently extensions were permitted that advanced the life of the concession until Oct. 31, 1910. A new Panama Canal company was organized in 1894, with a capital of \$13,000,000, and, while it spent this amount and more, it never attained the momentum of the first company. The maximum force under the first company was 25,000 men and under the second regime 3,000.

The total excavation by the French in Panama was 78,000,000 yards, of which the first company took 65,000,000 yards, but out of all their work only 29,000,000 yards were excavated from the present American route. For years before the Americans came the French did just enough work to keep their concession alive.

The most important element we took over from the French, the names and hospitals and especially the engineering records were invaluable from the start of American operations, and much still is in use.

An effort was made by the French company in 1898 to interest the United States government in the enterprise, provided permission could be secured from Colombia. But this failed, and the plan of 1903 for turning the property over to the United States was its successor.

Their spread eagle operations served to make the world and the Americans think that a canal was a white elephant proposition. The Spanish-American war, however, suddenly brought the American people to a realization of the vital necessity, from a military viewpoint alone, of an interoceanic canal.

Day by day as the battleship Oregon steamed around Cape Horn this lesson was impressed upon the people. A 10,000 mile journey could have been saved by a Panama canal. The war over and peace allowing the country and the government to consider other things, President McKinley reorganized the isthmian canal commission which he had appointed in 1897 with the following personnel:

Admiral John G. Walker, chairman; Samuel Pasco, George S. Morison, Lieutenant Colonel Oswald H. Ernst, U. S. A.; Colonel P. C. Hains, U. S. A.; Lewis M. Haupt, Alfred Noble, William H. Burr and Professor Emory R. Johnson.

This commission was appointed in March, 1903, with instructions to investigate all Central American routes.

The Walker commission unofficially asked the French company what its property might be bought for, and when quoted a price of \$101,141,500 promptly decided that Nicaragua looked better. The report made on Nov. 15, 1903, by the commission frankly stated that the Panama route was preferable, but the price asked by the French company was prohibitive. The commission dropped the remark that \$40,000,000 was about what the French holdings were worth to the United States.

When it had agreed to the commission's valuation the report to the president promptly was revised in favor of the Panama route.

Theodore Roosevelt upon assuming the office of president promised to carry out the policies of President McKinley, and, so far as the canal policy is concerned, he succeeded so eminently that a deliberate judgment, formed from a perspective view of the whole undertaking, warrants the assertion that his energy, decision and sound judgment made an interoceanic canal possible in this generation.

The moment his dynamic personality

arrived, immediately began corresponding over the granting of a strip of territory in Panama for the prosecution of the enterprise.

Minister Concha drew up a treaty, which was presented as a memorandum to Secretary Hay on April 18, 1902. This treaty, as well as the Heran treaty that succeeded it, had a number of impossible provisions, viewed in the light of our canal experience.

It authorized the French company to sell its property to the United States, and authorized the United States to build, operate and protect the canal, the concession to run for 100 years and be renewable at the discretion of the United States. The canal was to be finished fourteen years after the adoption of the treaty, with a possible extension of twelve years, everything to revert to Colombia if the canal was not begun within five years and completed within twenty-five years. Colombia was to receive \$7,000,000 in cash.

Colombia sent a new minister, Thomás Herran, in 1903, who negotiated a treaty along the same lines, except that Colombia was to receive \$10,000,000 instead of \$7,000,000 for the canal zone. Had the treaty been adopted it is a safe conclusion to draw that interminable and exasperating friction would have developed between the two countries. Only an extended visit to the isthmus can give an adequate idea of how essential it has been to the United States to have absolutely a free hand in the canal zone.

President Jose M. Marroquin of Colombia in this year, 1902, asked the United States to maintain an uninterrupted passage over the Panama railroad during a serious revolution in the province and promised in return to give the United States a treaty for a canal zone.

President Marroquin was a good faith, but factional fighting in the congress did adjourn. His fight, if successful, would save the treasury \$226,000. Another difficulty faced by the advocates of adjournment is that any member of the house in the absence of a quorum can defeat it.

Annul Reserve Shifting.

The six administration Democrats of the senate committee reached no definite agreement on the advisability of altering the provision for shifting the reserves of the country to the new regional reserve banks. It has been suggested that the provision might result in the calling of loans and consequent stringency. Chairman Owen agreed to tabulate the figures available on the subject and present them to the committee today.

Senator Hitchcock and the Republicans amended their bill so as to increase the gold reserve to be held against the new currency to 45 per cent, with a tax on a graduated scale when the reserve falls below that point down to a minimum of 30 per cent.

Amend Bond Refunding.

The bond refunding section was amended to provide that each regional bank should each year invest 50 per cent of its available capital in the two per cent bonds at par, which are the basis of the present bank notes. The regional banks would be allowed to exchange the two per cent bonds for three per cent, one year government notes, agreeing to renew the notes for twenty years. These notes would be available for use in foreign markets to obtain gold to maintain the reserve.

YOUNG HARRIMAN ASKS JOB

Seeks to Learn How to Operate Road in Offices at Omaha.

Omaha, Neb., Nov. 18.—In order that he may know something of the practical end of operating a railroad, Mr. W. Averill Harriman, son of the late E. H. Harriman, will next week come to Omaha and go to work in the Union Pacific headquarters in this city. This knowledge leaked out of Union Pacific headquarters and was confirmed by the officials. Mr. Harriman is now on the coast and will arrive here shortly after Thanksgiving. He will at first assume a position in the headquarters and afterwards in the big general shops.

DR. BLAKE ANSWERS WIFE

New York Surgeon Replies to Action for Separation.

New York, Nov. 18.—Dr. Jos. A. Blake, the noted surgeon who is defendant in a supreme court action for separation filed by Catherine K. Blake, served his answer to the allegations of the complaint.

He denies that he wilfully absented himself from his home, as his wife alleged, or that he abandoned her. He denies specifically that he is a resident of New York. He admits, however, that he has not supported her financially since August 1 last. He asks the court to dismiss the separation action and grant him judgment.

WEATHER BUREAU IN DENIAL

Declares Data on Recent Lake Storm Was Not Withheld.

Washington, Nov. 18.—The weather bureau gave out a statement denying charge by lake captains that inadequate and improper storm signals were displayed by the weather bureau, which concealed the information in its possession of the approach of the recent great storm resulting in the loss of 254 lives. The statement says that during the past 21 years 32 cases have occurred at Cleveland in which winds equal or exceeded those in the present storm.

Finger Marks on Checks.

German banks have begun to introduce the finger print as a mark of identification on checks. The method is already in use in the United States.

Farm Telephones.

In the last three years one-quarter million new telephones have been installed in various farmhouses throughout the country.

Willard and Rodel Break Even.

Milwaukee, Nov. 18.—Jess Willard made the mistake of holding Boer Rodel too cheap. The Kansas giant showed up in the South Side A. C. arena carrying enough excess weight to slow him up into a boxing truck horse, and the man from South Africa held him even during ten rounds of mediocre milling.

SENATE TO RECESS IF WILSON AGREES

Currency Measures Will Be Acted Upon by Thursday Is Plan.

AWAIT PRESIDENT'S VIEWS

Illinois Senator Causes Scare by Announcing He Will Oppose Any Appropriation Made to Secure Car Fare for Holiday.

Washington, Nov. 18.—An agreement by both the administration and anti-administration wings of the senate to submit their drafts of the currency bill by Thursday was followed by general talk of a recess of congress over Thanksgiving.

No adjournment will be taken without the consent of the president, however, and it has been known that he intended to have congress in session in the event of emergencies arising in Mexico.

Senator Lewis caused a scare by announcing he would oppose any appropriation for mileage, even if congress did adjourn. His fight, if successful, would save the treasury \$226,000. Another difficulty faced by the advocates of adjournment is that any member of the house in the absence of a quorum can defeat it.

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Wedding Party in White.

The rector of St. Peter's in London was surprised the other day when a bridal procession presented itself with every member of the party dressed in white. Such a thing had never been seen in London before, and, of course, no Englishman would be the first to depart from the established order of things. The audacious breakers of tradition were Australians, a Miss Sheppard and Mr. Sharpe. Most British colonies follow slavishly the customs of the home country. Some of them are more English than the English, if that is possible. But Australia is a long way off, and a generation is growing up there that has not the blind veneration for the customs of England. The comment of the English is that such a costume is extremely suitable in dog days—for Australians.

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FOR SALE 10 acres about one mile north of mill factory, with barn, small buildings and well. Apply on premises. Henry Janssen. 250 24

Discovering a Two-Cent Error.

It took the City Comptroller's office five days and necessitated an expense of \$30 to find an error of two cents in the city's books, according to Comptroller Kotecki, who charges that the records left by the previous administration were so unsystematically kept that it was necessary to trace the accounts back several months before the source of the error could be discovered. "It took all the time of one clerk for five days and much of the time of another during the same time before we finally discovered the error," said Mr. Kotecki. "This is only one instance of what we meet with continually." Mr. Kotecki said that under the new system devised by Deputy Clerk Puelchen the same error could have been discovered in ten minutes.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Progressive Milkman.

Competition among the milkmen is active in Evanston. A few mornings ago a woman moving to Evanston from Kansas City was surprised as she approached her new residence on her way from the train to see a stranger come up to her and call her by name. "I'm the milkman," he explained. "I heard that you were coming today. Let me carry your grips." He got her trade.—Chicago Tribune.

LOCAL SALE DATES

Have your sale bills printed at the Telegraph office and have the full bill published in the paper. Prices upon application.

Nov. 18—Chas. Moeller, closing out sale, 4 miles northwest of Dixon. Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Nov. 18—Geo. Weyant, closing out sale in village of Nachusa.

Nov. 19—Wm. Smith, F. and China hog sale; 5 miles southwest of Polo. Fruin & Ocker, Aucts.

Nov. 20—Wm. Palmer, complete closing out sale, 2 miles north of Grand Detour on River road. Ed. Allen and Geo. Fruin, Aucts.

Nov. 25—B. F. Pauls, 7 miles northeast of Dixon on the Capt. Dyar farm, D. M. Fahrney, Auct.

Nov. 28—Stock sale by A. Hawbecker on Wingert farm 1 1/4 miles west of Franklin Grove.

Dec. 3—Henry Rankin, 7 miles south of Dixon. D. M. Fahrney, Auct.

Dec. 10—Joe Oddy, closing out sale; 4 miles so east of Dixon. Geo. J. Fruin, Auct.

Dec. 11—Harry Herbst, closing out sale. One and one-half miles west of Dixon. Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Dec. 17—Harvey Sennett, closing out sale, 5 miles northwest of Dixon. Fruin & Fahrney, Aucts.

Dec. 18—Frank Scholl, closing out sale 1 1/2 miles north of Dixon. Geo. J. Fruin, Auct.

Dec. 24—W. Persell, closing out sale, 2 1/2 miles southwest of Dixon. Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Jan. 6—J. A. Spangler, closing out sale, 2 miles northeast of Nachusa. F. D. Kelley, Auct.

Jan. 15—John Hanne, closing out sale, 5 miles south of Dixon. Fruin & Gentry, Aucts.

Feb. 3—John Hustler, 3 miles east of Dixon. Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Feb. 4—Scott J. Lowry, one mile north of Grand Detour, closing out sale. D. M. Fahrney, Auct.

Feb. 10—Frank Alter, closing out sale, 5 miles north of Dixon. Fruin & Ocker, Aucts.

Feb. 17—Charles Geisler, closing out sale, 4 miles southeast of Dixon. Geo. J. Fruin, Auct.

Feb. 25—David Heagy, closing out sale, 3 miles north of Dixon. Geo. J. Fruin, Auct.

Feb. 26—Frank Alter, closing out sale, 5 miles north of Dixon. Fruin & Ocker, Aucts.

Feb. 27—John Hustler, 3 miles east of Dixon. Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Feb. 28—Scott J. Lowry, one mile north of Grand Detour, closing out sale. D. M. Fahrney, Auct.

Feb. 29—Charles Geisler, closing out sale, 4 miles southeast of Dixon. Geo. J. Fruin, Auct.

Feb. 30—John Hustler, 3 miles east of Dixon. Geo. Fruin, Auct.

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IS REVISING THE VULGATE



The Rt. Rev. Aldan Gasquet, head of the Benedictine order of England, has the gigantic task of revising the Vulgate, the Latin Bible of the Roman Catholic church. The committee of revision of which he is the head has already been at work on it for five years and will not complete it for about seven years more. Abbot Gasquet is now in this country delivering lectures and raising money to complete the work.

WOUNDED WERE SLAIN

Mexican Rebels Kill Helpless Federal Soldiers.

Unarmed Men Shot Down in Hospital While Pleading for Mercy Following Capture of Juarez.

Juarez, Mex., Nov. 18.—While the rebels were attacking Juarez last Saturday, seven sick and wounded federales lying helpless on their cots at the military hospital, became panic-stricken when they heard the booming of cannons and the rattle of rifles.

As the attacking party fought their way to the center of the town the wounded appealed to the soldiers who were guarding the hospital to carry them to a trench and give them guns so that they could fight the invaders.

But the soldiers hurried from the building to join their comrades, leaving the unfortunate to the mercy of the rebels. Entering the hospital, the rebels lighted the small oil lamps overhead, and seeing the federal regulars on their cots, started identifying them by their caps. As each federal was recognized he was shot to death.

Only one man in the hospital was granted mercy and allowed to live. This man was Jose Torres, an El Paso Mexican.

"Some of the seven federales who were killed raised up in their cots," Torres said, "and appealed to their murderers for mercy. Others were too ill to raise their hands. All were unable to leave their cots, and were shot as they lay. Some prayed and others cursed. Some asked mercy, while others damned the constitutional cause. It was a pathetic scene."

BANK CASHIER IS JAILED

Employee of Michigan Institution Given Long Sentence.

Pontiac, Mich., Nov. 18.—Almost simultaneous with the sentencing of Ralph E. Jossman, cashier of the defunct Jossman State bank at Clarkston, to from seven to twenty years in Jackson prison by Judge Smith for a defalcation of \$125,000 from the bank, a warrant was sworn out for the arrest of Clyde R. Morrison of Detroit, former assistant cashier of the bank.

When the bank failed an overdraft of \$7,400 in Morrison's account was discovered. The specific charge against Morrison is that in 1908 he made a false entry into the bank's files in the account of Charles Knox, showing his balance to be \$500 less than it should have been.

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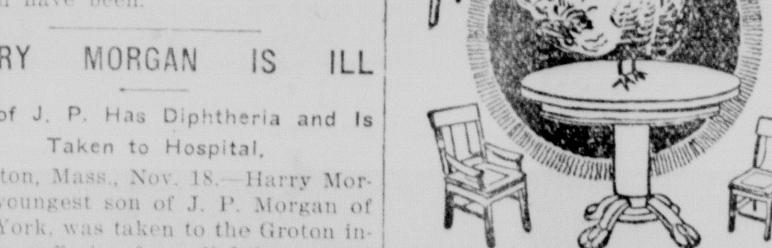
Son of J. P. Has Diphtheria and Is Taken to Hospital.

Croton, Mass., Nov. 18.—Harry Morgan, youngest son of J. P. Morgan of New York, was taken to the Croton infirmary suffering from diphtheria. He was inoculated with anti-toxoid and Doctor Fraser, the school physician, stated that the case was a light one and that the young fellow would be out again in the course of a week.

James Whitcomb Riley in Florida. Miami, Fla., Nov. 18.—James Whitcomb Riley, the Hoosier poet, arrived here to spend the winter in Miami, accompanied by his physician. He is in fine health.

Lawrence Mill Firemen Strike. Lawrence, Mass., Nov. 18.—Four hundred and fifty union firemen in the textile mills in this city went on strike.

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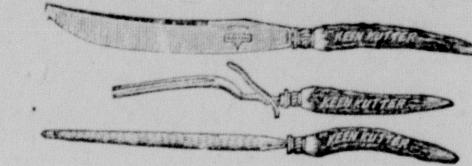
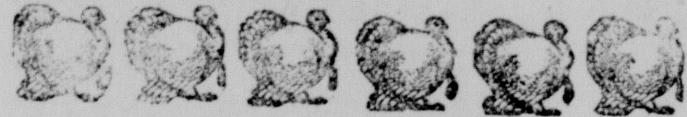
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